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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-1275. **An originally executed duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.**

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: May 24, 2007

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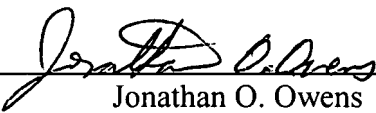
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The Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated March 28, 2007 of the Examiner rejecting Claims 1-15, 19-35 and 44-54. These claims have been more than twice rejected.

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